

Thomas Malerth, yeoman, at Michaelmas now one year past, and going out of certain lands and tenements in Surry, called Fredinghurst, and other lands, as appeareth by indentures made between me the said Sir Andrew, and the said Thomas. I give and bequeath all and singular, the foresaid plate, jewels, apparel, debts, sums of money and all other things whatsoever due unto me by any the persons aforesaid, unto my nephews Ambrose Dudley, Robert Dudley, Henry Dudley, my sister Jobson, and my sister Carden, equally to be divided amongst them; and that the persons aforesaid shall pay, out of the aforesaid sums, jewels, plate, money and other the premises, the sums hereafter ensuing. That is to say, to my brother, Jerome Dudley the sum of £200; to my nephew, Sidney, £200; to Robert Nowell, of Gray's Inn, the sum of 100 marks, &c., further paying my debts, which as I remember are little above £100, and giving to the poor folks £10. Also I give to my lady, my nephew Ambrose Dudley's wife, £100 which I lent him in gold, and one gown which I delivered in the tower, furred with sables, by estimation worth £80. Also I give to my nephew Ambrose Dudley, my nephew Sidney and his wife, my brother Jobson and his wife, my house in Tothill-street: and the best of my garments and apparel, whatsoever they be, I bequeath to my brother Jobson; my old apparel to be bestowed among my servants. The residue of my goods and debts I will they shall stand and be at the order, discretion and disposition of my executors, my nephew Sir Henry Sidney, my brother-in-law Sir Francis Jobson\* and Robert Nowell of Gray's Inn, and my overseers my nephews Ambrose Dudley, Robert Dudley and Henry Dudley."

This will bears date 21 July, 1556. The probate of the will bears date 22 Nov. 1559.—*Sidney Papers*, by Arthur Collins, Vol. 1, p. 30.

#### EDWARD SUTTON OR DUDLEY, LORD BARON OF DUDLEY.

He was eldest son of John Sutton or Dudley, Lord Dudley, called sometimes Lord "Quondam," or "the Lord Dudley that sold his lands."

Edward was born about 1515, and does not appear to have been a Knight of the Garter or Bath, as he is not mentioned in the Registers of those orders. His first public service was in Ireland with his mother's brother, Lord Leonard Grey, Deputy in Ireland, A. D. 1536. Young Dudley was made Captain of 100 archers under Sir Wm.

\* See page 134 for children of the widow of Edmund Dudley, Esq